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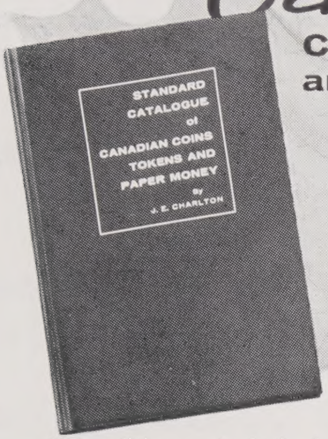

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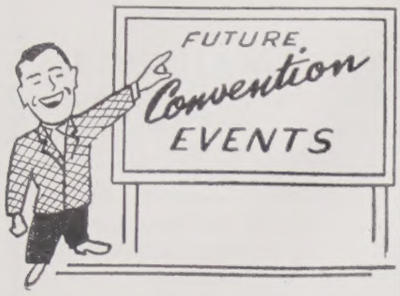

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N. J. Coin Clubs Convention. Host club, the Garfield Stamp & Coin Club, March 26, 1960, 9 A.M. - 10 P.M. at the Paterson YMCA, Paterson, N. J. Chairman David Rubin; Co-Chairman, James A. Brown, 227 Waverly Ave., Newark, N. J.

Central Pennsylvania Coin Show sponsored by Harrisburg, West Shore, and Hershey Coin Clubs. April 1 and 2, 1960 at the Community Building, Hershey, Penn. Bourse Infor: Joseph L. Diodato, P.O. Box 227, Linglestown, Pa.

Nebraska Numismatic Association. Fifth annual convention, April 1-3, 1960. Hotel Pathfinder, Fremont, Neb. Elmer G. Nelson, Secretary-Treasurer, 3126 Shirley Ct., Lincoln 5, Neb.

National Coin Week. April 24-30, 1960. E. I. "Jack" Rand, 514 S. 11th St., Tacoma 5, Wash., General Chairman.

Central States Numismatic Society. Eighteenth annual convention, April 29-May 1, 1960. Sheraton-Cadillac Hotel, Detroit, Mich. Paul F. Schilling, General Chairman, 17304 Lahser Road, Detroit 19, Mich.

Metropolitan New York Numismatic Convention. May 6-8, 1960. Park Sheraton Hotel, Seventh Ave. and Fifty-sixth St., New York City. Edward Janis, General Chairman, 10 Manor House Dr., Dobbs Ferry, N. Y.

Indiana State Numismatic Association. Second annual convention, May 20-22, 1960. Van Orman Hotel, Fort Wayne, Ind. General Chairman, Kenneth L. Hallenback, Jr., 4028 Mound Pass, Fort Wayne, Ind.

Empire State Numismatic Association—Spring Convention, May 27-29, 1960. Sheraton Hotel, Rochester, U.Y. General Chairman, John J. Pittman, 4 Acton Street, Rochester 13, N.Y.

American Numismatic Association. 69th annual convention. Statler Hotel, Boston, Mass. Aug. 21-26, 1960. James F. Clapp, Jr., General Chairman. 20 Bellevue Ave., Cambridge 40, Mass.

Middle Atlantic Numismatic Association. Eighth annual convention. October 21-23, 1960. Mayflower Hotel, Washington, D. C. Chairman, F. C. Schneider, 1353 Iris St., N.W., Washington, D. C.

Newark Coin Convention — 3rd Annual — Saturday, September 10, 1960 - 9 PM to 10 PM at the Newark "Y" 600 Broad St., Newark, New Jersey, Newark Coin Club host; Chairman, Philip Rosenbaum, 1544 Walton Avenue, New York City 52, N. Y.

Wichita, Kansas. St. Anthony's Community Center, East Second St. Auction held on 3rd. Show sponsored by Wichita Coin Club. Promoted by Zeb Collins. Wichita, Kansas, and Marvin Withers, Pratt, Kansas.

Monroe County Coin Club — 2nd Annual North Eastern Coin Club Convention to be held at the Penn Stroud Hotel, 7th and Main Streets, Stroudsburg, Penna., on Saturday, April 30th, 1960, between the hours of 1:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m. Chairman, John Puleo, 874 North 9th Street, Stroudsburg, Penna.

The annual Southern Colorado Coin Convention will be held April 23 & 24 at the Whitman Hotel, Pueblo, Colorado. Bourse tables available. Convention dinner Sat. evening. For details: Clyde Everhart, 909 West 14th Street, Pueblo, Colo.

The North East Ohio Coin Club is holding a three day Coin Show July 22-24 at The Tudor Arms Hotel in Cleveland, Ohio. Mr. Nate Gold, 2905 Hampton Rd. is Bourse Chairman, Mr. James Kirkwood, 4484 Douse Ave. is exhibits Chairman Marjorie Gold, 2905 Hampton Rd., Cleveland 20, Ohio. Richard Kretz is President of the club. Watch for further details.

Concerning defacing coinage of the United States.

Title 18, U.S. Code, section 311, provides as follows:

"Whoever fraudulently alters, defaces, mutilates, impairs, diminishes, falsifies, scales, or lightens and of the coins coined at the mints of the United States, or any foreign coins which are by law made current or are in actual use or circulation as money within the United States; or

"Whoever fraudulently possesses, passes, utters, publishes, or sell, or brings into United States, any such coin, knowing the same to be altered, defaced, mutilated, impaired, diminished, falsified, scaled, or lightened—

"Shall be fined not more than $2,000 or imprisoned not more than five years, or both."

The foregoing statute does not prohibit the mutilation of coins if done without fraudulent intent or if the mutilated coins are not used fraudulently. However, the Treasury Department considers the mutilation of coins to be undesirable and seeks to discourage the practice whenever possible. Office of the Chief, U.S. Secret Service, Treasury Dept., Washington D.C., U. E. Baughman, Chief U.S. Secret Service.

Letters from the Readers

POSSIBLE NEW VARIETY

Dear Mr. Spadone:

In the January issue of The Coin Press there is an article on how to identify a 1864-L cent. Is this always the case or are there exceptions? I have two (2) with the point of the bust directly over the one (1) in the date and there is no trace of an L. I have one I purchased from a dealer that is supposed to be 1864-L but the bust protrudes way past the figure 1.

Also in the same article concerning the type I and type II Indian cent, the year 1886 is the only year known with both types 1 and 2. I have an 1880 type I and an 1880 type 2. The type 1 is a close date. The coin is good, the date is sharp and clear. The type 2 with the last feather pointing between the C-A is abt./fine. The date is sharp and clear. It is a wide date. Can you tell me any more about this. Is this an error in the printing of the article or a find.

I also have a 1945, P (above the dome) nickel believed to be of the copper nickel type and a 1947 nickel believed to be of the silver type. Have you seen or heard of any of this sort?

—Russell T. Golliver
Grover Hill, Ohio

Dear Sirs:

I recently began to collect coins. I took for my specialty something I find to be rather unusual, that is I collect the silver coinage of England. There has been one major difficulty I have yet to figure out how to overcome. I do not know of any dealer who has a stock of English silver coins. I have picked up a few items from one dealer or another, but I still have not found one really good source of coins.

At the beginning of this week I requested a sample of your magazine, hoping to find an ad in it from someone who sold English silver.

I was very pleased with the speed with which my sample was sent, but unfortunately, I didn't find an ad for English silver. I was wondering if you could tell me if you know of any of your advertisers who sell English silver coins.

—Richard Gutman
18 Underhill Rd., Hamden, Conn.

Dear Mr. Spadone:

My oldest boy noticed that my subscription expires in Feb. 1960, and as he knows The Coin Press is my favorite reading material, he surprised me Christmas morning with a postal money order for another year's reading.

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—Del Schuler
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1914-D	—	—	11.75
1914-S	1.50	2.50	4.50
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1915-S	—	4.50	7.25
1916	—	.50	.75
1916-S	1.00	1.50	3.00
1917	—	.35	.50
1917-D	1.50	2.25	—
1917-S	1.25	2.25	5.50
1918	.25	.50	1.00
1918-D	1.00	2.00	4.00
1918-S	1.00	1.50	4.50
1919-20	—	.35	.50
1919-D	1.25	1.75	6.00
1920-DS	1.00	1.50	4.00
1921	—	—	1.00
1921-S	3.75	5.00	8.75
1923	—	.25	.50
1923-S	.60	1.25	3.00
1924-26	—	.25	.35
1924-D	.60	1.25	3.00
1924-S	1.25	2.50	7.50
1925-D	2.00	2.50	6.25
1925-S	1.25	2.25	5.00
1926-D	.35	.50	1.25
1926-S	1.50	3.00	7.50
1927	—	.25	.35
1927-D	.45	.75	1.25
1927-S	—	1.50	4.25
1928-PD	—	—	.35
1928-S	—	—	.75
1929-PDS	—	—	.25
1930-S, 1934-PD		—	.25

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Laur.—Laureate	P.O.R.—Price on request	Scr.—Scratched
Crd.—Crowned	T.Ty.—Type	Ctspd.—Counterstamped
Diad.—Diademed	Sm.—Small	R.—Right
N.D.—No date	Lg.—Large	L.—Left
Obv.—Obverse	Stg.—Standing	AV—Gold
Rev.—Reverse	Std.—Seated	AR-Silver
w.—With. within	C.V.—Cat. Value	AE—Minor
wr.—Wreath	Var.—Variety	Coll.—Collection
Ins.—Inscription	Dupl.—Duplicate	Comm.—Commemorative
B.U.—Bright Unc.	Avg.—Average	M.M.—Mint Mark
F.E.—Flying Eagle	Brill.—Brillliant	Unc.—Uncirculated
W.C.—With cent	G.-V.G.—G. to V.G.	G/VG-Obv.G./Rev.V.G.
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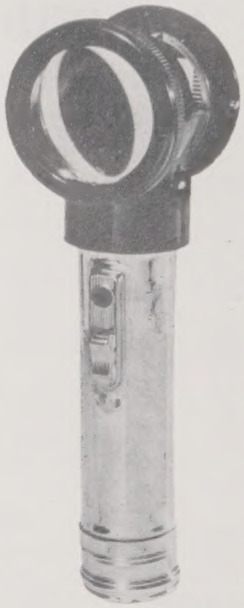

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1919S&D	.05	.10	.30
1920S&D	.05	.10	.25
1924S	.75	1.15	2.00
1925S&D	.10	.15	.40
1926D	.05	.10	.25
1927S	.10	.15	—
1927, 28S&D	.05	.10	.15
1929S&D	.25	.10	.15
1930S&D	.05	.10	.15
1932P&D, 33P	.15	.25	.40
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1941	.40	.45	.50	1.15
1942	.35	.30	1.15	1.60
1943	.40	.45	1.25	1.50
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10c—1903-O	VG	2.80
10c—1908-D	VG	1.20
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10c—1917-S or D	F	.40
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10c—1919-S or D	G	2.25
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25c—1909-D	G	1.80
25c—1926-S	XG	4.60
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REFLECTIONS UPON PAPER CURRENCY

(continued from page 12)

To wage the War between the States, both North and South resorted to the use of fiat currency. Actually, the South had practically no hard money from the very beginning and it soon reached the point where one silver dollar was worth 30 of paper. The North did have gold and silver, but not in sufficient amount, and as the war went on, both metals were hoarded. And therefore the Greenbacks came into existence. And at one time, so low did the fortunes of the North fall, Greenbacksfell to 37¢ on the dollar. And since even small change became scarce, the well known shinplasters came into being.

Practically all of us in the numismatic world are well aware of the Canadian shinplasters. As with us, they also met the need for change and are of more than passing interest. During the summer of 1959 one of these bills made its appearance at Jacoy's, a Spokane tobacco shop, and was accepted by Bob Jacoy. Although its condition was not of the best, it nevertheless had a $1.75 value. The original holder of it should have known that it was worth more than its face value of 25¢ and it may have been a keepsake of sorts.

Few of us take seriously the statement on the dollar bill that it will be redeemed in silver if so demanded by the bearer. But apparently this does not apply to all persons. For example, some time back an item was published in the Numismatic Scrapbook which concerned this very thing. The man written about was quite convinced that paper currency would presently be of little value and he requested redemption to the extent of several thousand dollars. The bank was willing to oblige and gave him the number of silver dollars that was required. It was then that the man who wanted specie discovered something about the weight of silver inasmuch as he found himself unequal to the task of carrying his booty off the premises, no doubt to the great amusement of bank officials. So he had to leave his silver dollars behind and I suppose they were later picked up and hauled off in a truck.

Canadians now and then experience some difficulty with our paper money because we use the same color for all denominations, a thing not true of the Dominion currency. The $1 is green with grey diagonal lines; the $2 brick red with green diagonals; the $5 blue with purple diagonals; the $10 purple with pink diagonals; the $20 olive with grey diagonals; the $50 orange and grey; the $100 brown and grey, and the $1,000 pink and grey. There is a great deal to be said in favor of this system because it helps to avoid confusion and makes instant identification an easy thing. Each note has its value stated in both French and English.

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1926	.30	.50	1.05
1927	.15	.30	.65
1928-29	.08	.15	.35
1930	.30	.65	—
1931	.20	.45	—
1932-36	.05	.20	.30
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THE BERGEN COUNTY COIN CLUB ELECTS

At its 64th meeting the Bergen County Coin Club celebrated two occasions. The installation of new officers was combined with its annual Christmas party. 70 honored guests and members were present at the function at the River Edge Fire House No. 2.

The following new officers were installed at the meeting; Walter Stefanacci, President; Leon Rosenblum, Vice President; Abe Stave, Treasurer; Joseph Angello, Recording Secretary; and George Meyer, Corresponding Secretary.

Retiring President, Edward J. Black was presented with an engraved gavel by the membership.

The club, which has been in existence for five years, meets the third Wednesday of each month at the River Edge Fire House No. 2.

In the above photo are: left to right, Past Presidents Michael Zingale of Paterson, N. J., Edward J. Black of Demarest, N. J., outgoing President Walter Stefanacci of Clifton, N. J. receiving the gavel. William I. Anton of River Edge, N. J.

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1954-P	.75
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1955-P	.35
1955-S	.75
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Canadian Silver Five Cent Pieces

By Starr Gilmore

These coins were employed by Canada for quite a period of time inasmuch as they were not abandoned until 1921, their coinage beginning with 1858.

Although they made no trouble in their country of origin, they certainly made a fair amount south of the border. I am reliably informed by a few older citizens that the inspired small fry of former times used them as dimes on every possible occasion and met with a remarkable amount of success. And frequently enough, older persons mistook them for dimes. Had Canadians experienced similar difficulty in any measure we may be sure that they would have been abandoned in short order.

At the time they began, the Sudbury Range was a thing of the future and the use of nickel had no particular recommendation. It remained for a later day to see Canada the leading producer of nickel, a position that she is unlikely to lose very soon, if indeed she ever loses it.

We are assured that the Dominion left off the use of these small coins in order to conserve silver and there is no doubt about the truth of the assertion. It was one thing as long as England furnished the silver needed for Canadian coins, but it was quite another thing when Canada had to do it.

It is a most remarkable fact, and quite unknown to the great majority, that it was many years before Canada was able to produce silver that could be used for coins. Mention of this situation is made for the first time in the 1947 Mint Report. And it should be kept in mind that whereas Canada is long on gold she is short on silver.

Tellurium content in silver plagued the Mint and made it fit only for casting and quite unfit for any form of milling. And although this refractory element before reduction was 0.011 it yet rose to 0.019 after reduction by reason of the fact that more of it was picked up from the cast iron plates used in processing and thus it was made even worse than before. This disagreeable situation was made the subject of serious study.

We learn in the 1948 Report that success in getting rid of most of the tellurium was finally attained and that it was reduced from 0.011 per cent to 0.003 per cent. Too brittle to use before, or frangible as the Mint terms it, the silver was made satisfactory, and in the year given, 193,989.85 ounces of rejected fine metal was rendered fit for coinage. Such is part of the story back of the conservation of England is not intended as a slight to Canada. England had to purchase silver from abroad and the United States certainly furnished some of it. And assuredly Canada paid for the silver.

Silver five cent pieces can look like little gems, and when they do look like them, they also sell like them. Even the not too attractive of this sisterhood must be treated with a degree of respect. In common with many Canadian coins, they finally got in the limelight when it was a little late. Not too highly regarded at their time of issue, a later generation now pays for their neglect.

Going by the Guide Book on Canadian Coins, a complete collection of the silver five cent pieces would cost $1,650 or so in beautiful condition and would not be easy to get together. In merely good condition, about $270.00 would be required and the lion's share of this sum would be spent on the 1921 with its $185.00 beginning price.

A mere 200,000 were minted by the Royal Mint in 1884, the smallest of the series, and Heaton of Birmingham dropped out with 1903. As might be supposed, Birmingham was generally called upon whenever the Royal Mint happened to find itself with an unusual amount of work. In common with the United States, England has always done a good deal of mint work for other countries. For instance, she minted the coins of Ireland.

In connection with the above, it is interesting to note that the Royal Canadian Mint has undertaken outside work only once. This came about in 1938 when 5,060,000 coins were struck for the Dominican Republic of 900 fineness (50 centavos, 25 centavos, 5 centavos, and 1 centavos) the coins so struck corresponding exactly in size to those of the United States. However, England helped out in good measure by the preparation of dies, matrices, and punches, and the coin obverses were designed by Henry Paget.

As with the 1921 half, never intended for circulation, the same applies to the 1921 silver five cent piece. Nevertheless, as with the former, some of them escaped the melting pot and managed to get in circulation. And now and then these coins give rie to interesting finds.

For example, Buddy Schroeder, a Spokane high school student, made such a fortunate find last year. He purchased an odd lot of miscellaneous coins from a woman who was interested in stamps, not in coins, and she was paid for them in mint United States stamps. She had inherited them from an aunt who had formerly lived in Canada and apparently her aunt must have known or cared as little for such things as she did. In any event, he discovered a quite beautiful 1921 among the lot and it is now one of his prized possessions. It is needless to say that events of this kind are few and far between. (continued on page 11)

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The 211th. meeting of the **New Jersey Numismatic Society** was held Thursday evening, December 10, 1959. The minutes were read and accepted. President Herbert Ochsner presided at this his last meeting as president, as the new officers take office at this meeting. **The new officers are as follows: George Wait President, James Ward, Vice President, and James A. Brown, Sec'y.-Treas.** The club gave a rising vote of thanks to the outgoing president for the two years of fine service to the club as its leader.

—James A. Brown, Sec'y.

BROOKLYN COIN CLUB

The 318th. meeting of the Brookly Coin Club was held at the Grenada Hotel, December 2, 1959. Tonight there was no other business than the election of officers for 1960 and the installation of same as follows: Jack Nannery, President, William Wild, Vice President, Harold Schornstein, Treasurer, James A Brown, Recording Secretary, Father Hutchins, Chaplain and Charles Hollander for Board Of Governors. The outgoing president, Frank Porcaro spoke briefly on the fine co-operation he received from committees and officers in the operation of the club to make it interesting and a gathering place for collectors. George Becht the guest speaker who installed the officers for the coming year was also the speaker at the 50th. Anniversary Dinner of the New York Numismatic Club and the speaker at the Supper of the Metropolitan Coin Convention last May.

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NEW BOYS' COIN CLUB

The Coin Club of the South Ward Boys' Club of Newark with its office on Hawthorne Avenue, in Newark, last week held election of officers. Mr. Abe Fisher, director of this unit, elected Mr. Sol Spiegel as his assistant.

The members had a tremendous coin collection display at their Hawthorne Ave. Headquarters and Mr. Dave Warner, of the South Ward Boys' Club of Newark, awarded beautiful gifts and citations to the boys whom had the best displays.

The Coin Club of the South Ward Boys' Club of Newark was chosen from all the other Boys' Club Units to display their collections in Bamberger's window in Newark next month during "Youth Week".

Meetings are held every Sunday at 2:00 PM at the South Ward Boys' Club on Hawthorne Ave. in Newark.

Anyone interested in the activities of this coin club can call the South Ward Boys' Club in Newark — WA 3-6666.

CANADIAN SILVER FIVE CENT PIECES (continued)

There is an obvious moral in this story. When you do not know the value of a thing you have, try to know someone who does. And this by no manner of means applies merely to coins but to a good many other things. Possibly I am all wrong, but I still find it difficult to believe that an intelligent coin collector would sell a lot of old stamps without making some effort to know their worth. And if he should do such a thing, and then discover that he had made a serious mistake, then I fear he would get very little sympathy from me.

Coin designers for the series are the same as for all the other maple wreath types. However, there are eight variants and consequently more than may be found among the maple wreath halves and quarters. The two most expensive are the large date and the round "O" of 1900.

Provided the collector is not too particular, a very satisfactory type collection can be made at no very great cost by picking out the least expensive dates. Of course, this does not apply to the collector who wants all the types for I am assuming that he will largely content himself with a fine Victoria, Edward VII, and George V, together with such others as may strike his purse or fancy.

Unlike a great many collectors, I am more or less sensitive to the opinions of my non-collecting friends. And if I were to show them a rather tired looking collection of cent pieces with no distinction about them except different dates, then I should expect little but pity for my want of sense. It is for this reason that I am more or less in favor of type collecting for I well remember that the first collection I ever saw was very much like the one I have described. But taste differs and that is one thing that makes coin collecting a thing of interest.

Reader Makes A Suggestion

Why not get all the coin magazines to advocate one thing.

Get all coin collectors to go to their bank and really start getting silver dollars, spend them, use them, circulate them.

With the number of collectors we could get some of those musty old mildewed bags into circulation.

It's unbelieveable that almost every one does not realize that you can get all the silver dollars at the bank that you want.

They just think they are an oddity and no longer available.

I recently got fifty silver dollars, told the cashier I was a collector. What do you think I drew? Yep, 50 all alike and brand new.

Paul W. Heckman, Nazareth, Pa.

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1910-P			.20	.40	.55	2.00
1910-S		.85	1.60	2.75	4.75	
1911-P			.20	.40	.55	2.25
1911-D	.35	.50	1.40	2.50		
1911-S	1.75	2.50	3.45		7.90	
1912-P			.20	.40	.55	
1912-D	.50			3.95	5.50	
1912-S	.90	1.25	2.50	4.25	7.75	
1913-P			.20	.40	.55	2.50
1913-D	.20	.40	1.40	2.45	4.50	
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1915-S		1.10	1.95	3.50	4.75	
1916-P			.20	.35	.55	2.50
1916-D			.50	1.60	2.75	
1916-S			.60		3.50	15.75
1917-P			.25	.40	.55	2.75
1917-D			.75	1.45		
1917-S			.85	1.75		
1918-P			.20	.35		
1918-D			.65	1.60	3.25	
1918-S			.65	1.65	3.50	
1919-P			.20	.40	.55	2.50
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1921-P			.75	1.45	2.50	8.75
1921-S	.25	.35	2.25	7.75vf-xf9.25		
1922-D	.75	.95	2.25	3.60		
1923-P			.20		.55	2.50
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Reflections Upon Paper Currency

By Starr Gilmore

Several years back an article appeared in Coronet devoted to the affairs of the worthy General Mao. He represented the Chinese Nationalist Government and was entrusted with large sums of money. And according to the story that was told, he absconded to Mexico with something like 3 million in a mere 4 or 5 notes of huge denominations. The writer of the piece in question left the reader with the impression that one note in his possession had the value of a million dollars. This annoyed me so much that I wrote the magazine and tried to correct the obvious error.

My amazement was not inconsiderable over the reply which I received. Far from backing down, the magazine stood firmly by its guns and refused to admit error. To be sure, there is such a thing as a million dollar bond, but this was not made clear in the article. As far as I am able to figure out, General Mao must have had very little sense indeed.

Although the man in the street is not aware of it, we do put out a $100,000 note. But to say the least, no collector, regardless of his wealth, is likely to have one in his possession. And if a collector did have one he might well find himself in more trouble than a little.

To begin with, $100,000 notes are remarkably and understandably few in number and are employed by the Federal Reserve to settle balances which involve tremendous sums. The likeness of Woodrow Wilson appears on the notes and it is reasonable to suppose that they encounted very little wear.

I now revert to General Mao and some of his sad experiences. Among other things, he made the remarkable discovery that such things as million dollar bonds could cause considerable embarrassment. As if this should be news. It would indeed be news if otherwise. Our largest note of any convenience is the $100 which features Franklin. The $500 note of McKinley; the $1,000 of Cleveland; the $5,000 of Madison, and the $10,000 of Chase are hardly of the kind that most of us ever expect to see. They would no doubt be interesting items in a collection of paper money.

Those acquainted with the works of Mark Twain will possibly recall the amusing story which he wrote about a man who had a million pound note. As it was impossible for anyone to break it, he contrived for some time to live like a feudal lord on pure credit.

During the course of the second World War a most extraordinary situation arose because it was actually possible to buy a $1,000 note for as little as $700. No, they were not counterfeits; they were genuine. Nevertheless, very few people cared to buy them and those who did frequently found themselves wishing that they had used better sense.

This strange development came about through the activity of black market operators. Gentry in this field found themselves with so much money in small bills as to make life something of a burden. And to better things, they turned their attention to $1,000 notes. In the beginning it worked out all right. But as might be expected, the sudden growth of interest in these big notes caused the Government to wonder why they were so popular. Investigation soon gave the answer and the holders of such notes found themselves subjected to unpleasant questions of highly personal nature. And it was at this point that the black market operators tried to get rid of their unwanted currency. As far as I know, few instances of like nature have ever occurred.

Naturally enough, there is no such thing as counterfeiting any of the truly big notes for the doing of such a thing would be little better than sheer insanity. And this being true, we need never question the authenticity of a $1,000 note. The $100 note seems to represent the limit of effort on the part of spurious money makers.

Corner Brook, Newfoundland, recently furnished an odd story about one of our $1,000 notes. A Chinese restaurant cashed a paycheck with something more than a strange aftermath. A $1,000 note was used to meet the situation and the payee used it a second time to cover an obligation owed his landlord. It seems hard to believe, but it was twice mistaken for a $10 bill. However, the landlord discovered the error several hours later and so also did the restaurant which turned in a $990 robbery report. To get it back, the restaurant paid a $50 reward. We must assume that the note began its career in Newfoundland with the big air base we have there.

Just recently I was both astonished and amused over a newspaper article which stated that a Confederate note was successfully put into English circulation. This is not to say that such a thing has not before attempted. It has been, but hitherto no success has attended such worthy enterprise.

Curiously enough, the $1,000 Confederate note is slowly but surely climbing toward its face value. Of course, only a few were issued, and of the few put out, no great number of them ever saw circulation. A complete collection of Confederate currency in beautiful condition would cost the collector of today a fairly handsome sum of money. (continued on page 9)

NATIONAL COIN WEEK EXHIBIT - AUCTION

Some of the committee—Plans for the National Coin Week exhibit and auction at the Johnson City, N. Y. Moose auditorium—April 24th—12 noon, all afternoon. Auction starts at 5 P. M.
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What do you need in Circulated pennies? What do you have to sell?

WANTED TO BUY
BU ROLLS OF

1953-S Nickels	$ 8.50
1954-S Dimes	8.00
1955-P Dimes	20.00
1955-D Dimes	15.00
1955-S Dimes	14.00
1955-D Quarters	17.00
1955 Proof Sets (Mint sealed)	6.00
Roosevelt Dime Set (Roll Set BU)	$1250

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EMILE. M. STOLLE
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Junior: Daddy, do you keep on growing taller all the time?

Father: No son, why do you ask?

Junior: Because the top of your head is poking up through your hair.

Husband, pacing the floor with howling baby, to wife: "Isn't it about time to take him to the doctor for a thousand-mile check-up?"

AVERAGE CIRCULATED JEFFERSON ROLLS
CULLS REMOVED

	Per Roll:
38-P 43-D 44-S 58-P (AU)	$3.50
40-S 41-S 39-P	3.00
42-D 50-P	5.00
46-S 47-S 48-S 52-S 53-S	3.75
49-S 51-S	4.80
54-S	4.00
59-P (AU)	3.25

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Complete Set Average circulated Jeffersons 1938-PDS to 1959PD, 61 Coins in Whitman Folder $8.00 Postpaid.

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BILL STIGALL
Box 173 **Greenbrier, Tenn.**

My apologies to all my customers whose orders have been delayed due to my being confined in the hospital due to an automobile wreck. I am just getting back on the job after an absence of a little over a week and will get the back orders out as soon as I can.

MARCH 26, 1960

PUBLIC AUCTION SALE

7:30 P.M. - 11 P.M.
4 P.M. - 6:30 P.M.

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Auction lots will be available for inspection at the auction from 12:00-4:00 P.M. on March 26, 1960.

Lot #		Estimated Value
	HALF CENTS	
1	1806 with stems, large 6, abt. V.G.	4.50
2	1826 very good	3.75
3	1832 very good	3.50
4	1835 very good	3.00
5	1849 Fine, large date	11.00
	LARGE CENTS	
6	1817 wide date, G-VG	2.25
7	1849 F-VF	2.50
8	1817, 19, 45, 49, 53, 54; 6 coins, average G-Fine	10.00
9	**1857 scarce, small date, Fine except for tiny scratch in field**	**12.00**
10	**1857 Large date, Fine, 1/3 million,, scarce**	**14.00**
	FLYING EAGLE & INDIAN CENTS	
11	1857 c, VG-F.	4.00
12	1857 c, XF with small dig on feather of upper wing, call VF	8.00
13	1857 c, VG; 1858 L.L., G-VG (2pcs)	7.00
14	1861 c, Good	3.00
15	1861 c, Fine	7.50
16	1863 c, 7 pieces, G-VG	7.00
17	1864 c, Copper-Nickel, 2 pieces G-VG	6.00
18	1864-L, Abt.G-G, very faint "L", pointed bust	5.00
19	1864-L, Good with visible "L"	8.50
20	1864-L XF Sharp "L", badly pitted	20.00
21	1866, Good	5.50
22	1867, Good	4.50
23	1868, Good	5.00
24	1869, Good plus	8.00
25	1870, Good	6.00
26	1870, G-VG	9.00
27	1872, Abt. Good	8.00
28	1872, Abt. Good-Good, strong date	9.00
29	**1872, G-VG**	**16.00**
30	1872, Good, pinpoints on obverse	10.00
31	**1872, Abt. Unc., a trace of lustre (a beauty)**	**70.00**
32	1874, 1875, G-VG, 2 pieces	5.00
33	1874, Ind. c, V.Fine	9.00
34	1875, Ind. c, F-Very Fine	8.50
35	**1876 Unc., full lustre**	**30.00**
36	1876 Abt. Fine-Fine, full liberty	8.00
37	**1877 Ind. c, a strong good**	**45.00**
38	1879 Ind. c, F-VF	3.00
39	1880, X.Fine, traces of lustre	6.00
40	1880, A.U. with most lustre	7.50
41	1881 A.U. with most lustre	8.50
42	1882 A.U. with lustre	6.00
43	1882, a shade below B.U. with lustre	8.00
44	1882, could call Unc., but reverse a wee discolored	8.25
45	1883, 1884, 1885, 3 pieces, Fine	11.00
46	1884, X.Fine	6.50
47	1884 Ind. c, V.F.	5.00
48	1885, Fine	6.00
49	1887, Very Fine	2.50
50	1891, X.F.	3.00
51	1904, first strike with proof Sur. Unc	6.50
52	1900-1909-P, 10 coins, F-XF, 1 each	10.00
53	1908 2 pieces, A.U.	5.00
54	**1908-S, A.F.-Fine, full Liberty**	**16.00**
55	**1908-S, F-VF**	**18.00**
56	1909 Ind. c, 2 pieces, gem Unc.	10.00
57	1909 Ind. c, 3 pieces, B. Unc.	14.00
58	1909, same as lot #57	14.00
59	**1909-S, Indian, Very Fine**	**75.00**
	LINCOLN CENTS	
60	1909-S, Abt. Fine	8.50
61	1909-S, XFAU, cleaned nice	18.00
62	**1909-S VDB, VG-Fine**	**60.00**
63	1 set, 1910-S - 1915-S, 6 coins, 1 each average VG	12.00
64	1911-S, Very Fine	6.00
65	1914-D, Good-Very Good	25.00
66	1914-D, VF plus sharp wheat lines	75.00
67	1915-S, Fine	2.50
68	1917-S, very fine plus, 3 pieces	12.00
69	1920-P Abt.Unc.-Unc. with lustre, 3 pieces	7.50
70	1922-D 3 pieces, Abt. Very Good	6.00
71	1924-D, Fine	5.00
72	1924-D, Very Fine	10.00
73	**1931-S, X.Fine**	**13.00**
74	**1931-S, B.U.**	**21.00**
75	1936 c-P, B.U. Gems, 5 pieces	4.00
76	1938-S B.U. Gems, 6 pieces	7.50
77	1943-S, B.U., 5 pieces	7.50
78	**1955-P, shift cent, V.F.-X.F.**	**55.00**
79	**1955-P, shift cent, 2 pieces, X.F.**	**130.00**
	2c PIECES - 3c PIECES	
80	1864 2c, (1) XF c cleaned, 2 coins	7.00
81	1864-1866 2c, G-VG, mixed, 5 pieces	5.00
82	1869 3c, silver, issued only in proof, call this one A.U.	35.00
	5c PIECES	
83	1832 nickel 5 cents, G-VG	2.50
84	1837 ½ dime, no stars, small date, XF (2 scratches in left field)	25.00
85	1875 shield nickel, scarce, VF	25.00
86	1876 Shield nickel, Fine	8.00
87	1883, Lib. (1) XF; (1) AU, no cents	3.50
88	1883 Liberty, G-VG, with cents	3.50
89	1883 F, (3) Gold Plat. Rack. Nick.	10.00
90	**1885 Nickel, Good Plus**	**40.00**
91	1886, Nickel, Fair, full date	10.00
92	1904, Nickel, B.U. Gem	10.00
93	**1912-S Nickel, AF-Fine, full liberty**	**16.00**
94	1912-D Nickel, VG with Liberty	5.00
95	1914-D Nickel, Fair-Abt. Good	5.00
96	1915-D Nickel, V.G.	3.00
97	1926, B.U. Nickel	6.00
98	1927, B.U. Nickel	5.00
99	1928, B.U. Buffalo	4.50
100	1 set, 1936 P-S-D; '37 P-S-D; '38-D, all 7: B.U.	10.00
101	**Buffalo Nickel set complete, no overdate, G-F; '14-D Fine & a bit dark; '13-S T1 & T2 Fair; '13-D Type 2: Fair; '14-S & '15-D, VG; '13-D T1, Fine, '13-P T1&'14-P, almost Unc.**	**75.00**
102	Linoln Set 1941-1959, complete, average Fine-Unc., 20 pieces, Unc.	7.00
103	**Lincoln Set, 1909-1953, in 2 holders. Set aver. Fine or better, '14-D VG; 1909-S VG; 1909-S VDB, F; 1931-S XF; 1916 up, Fine or better. Over 25 Unc. including '38-S '43-S&D, 1909 VDB, 1910-S - 1915-S all S's av. F**	**175.00**
	NICKELS - JEFFERSONS	
104	1938-D B.U.	3.00
105	1938 P.D.S. (3), Unc.	7.00
106	1938-S & D, 1950-P & D, 4 pieces	7.00
107	**1939-P & S, B.U.**	**20.00**
108	**1939-D, B.U., Gem**	**50.00**
109	1940- 1941 PDS, 6 coins, all B.U.	6.50
110	1942-P & D, 2 pieces, B.U., nice	12.75
111	1942-P & S - '45 PDS, 11 silver coins, set B.U.	12.00
112	1946 PDS - '49 PDS, all B.U., (12)	10.00
113	1950-P, 5 pieces	12.50
114	1950-P & D, B.U., nice, 2 pieces	10.00
115	1951 PDS, 3 coins, Unc.	5.00
116	1952 PDS, 3 coins, all B.U.	5.00
117	1953 PDS - 1959-P&D, 15 coins, BU	6.00
118	**Jeff. Set, complete, average Fine-Unc., 15 B.U. including 1950-P&D, plus 1952-D, These 3 are near $15 alone.**	**30.00**
	DIMES	
119	1893-S - 1897-S, 2 pieces, Good	9.00
120	1917-S&D, 2 pieces, VG-plus	4.00
121	10c, 3 pieces, Abt. Good-Good	8.50
122	1926-S, VG	4.50
	QUARTERS	
123	1834, Fine	5.00
124	**1902-S, Abt. Unc., nice**	**60.00**
125	**1905-O, very near B.U., sharp**	**125.00**
126	1917-P, Variety 1, A.U.	7.00
127	1917 I & II-P, very Fine, 2 coins	9.00
128	1917-S, Type II, Fine	9.50
129	1917-D, Type II, Fine	9.00
130	1919-D, Very Good	12.00
131	19201P&D, Very Good-Fine, 2 coins	14.00
132	**1921-P, Full date & stars on shield visible, Abt. VF**	**14.00**
133	1924-S&D, 2 pieces, G-VG	8.00
134	25c Set, 1925-P - 1930-P&S, 15 coins average G-VF; '27-S Abt. V.Good	20.00
	HALVES	
135	1815 half, very scarce, Good	37.00
136	1818/7 Good-VG, overdate	4.00
137	1825 F-VF	4.50
138	1826 2 pieces, Abt. V.Fine	10.00
139	1829 Fine	4.00
140	1830 2 pieces, 1 small "O"; 1 lg. "O", both Fine	8.50
141	1831 X.Fine	8.00
142	1836 2 pieces, lettered edges, Fine	7.00
143	1838 Very Good	8.00
144	1921-S, Half Good	2.50
145	1934-S, Silver Dollar, V good, scr.	6.00
	CANADIAN	
146	2 rolls, 1956 cents, B.U.	8.00
147	5c nickels, 1882-H, 1896, 1911, 1915, 1918 F-VF	4.00
148	5c nickels 26-27-28-29-31-32-33—36 F	3.00
149	10c 1872-H, very scarce, Abt. Fine	45.00
150	10c 1880-H, 1916, 1929, Average VG	7.00
151	25c 1870 & 1872-H, Very Good	7.00
152	25c 1871-H, VG-Fine	12.50
153	25c 1874 F-VF	4.50
154	25c 1915, 1920 Good; 1928 VG; 1956, A.U.	5.00
155	50c 1870, Fine	12.00
156	50c 1871-H, scr. 45,000 only, VG-F	25.00
157	50c 1872-H, scr. 80,000 only, VG-F	10.00
	MISCELLANEOUS	
158	$5.00 Gold piece, XF-AU, 1880	17.50
159	½ roll Ind. Cents, 1900-1909P; 25 well mixed; F-XF, av. AVF	25.00
160	1 roll 1915D-1920S&D, 50 pieces, F-XF, average F-plus, S & D mixed	60.00
161	1 roll 1954-S c, B.U.	9.00
	SECTION 2 - ROLLS & PROOFS	
162	1955-P cents, 1 roll B.U.	5.00
163	1955-P cents, 3 rolls, B.U.	15.00
164	1959-P cents, 10 rolls, B.U.	10.00
165	1956-P nickels, Unc., 1 roll	6.00
166	1959-P nickels, 2 rolls, B.U.	16.00
167	**1950 Proof Set in holder**	**55.00**
168	**1951 Proof Set in holder**	**32.00**
169	1957 Proof Sets (5)	20.00
170	1958 Proof Sets (2)	20.00
171	1958 Proof Sets (5)	50.00
172	1958 Proof Sets (10)	100.00
173	1959 Proof Sets (1) Mint Sealed	4.00
174	5 rolls, 1958-P cents, B.U.	7.50
175	10 rolls, same as 174	15.00
176	10 rolls, same	15.00
177	10 rolls, same	15.00
178	15 rolls, same	22.50
179	20 rolls, 1958-P cents	30.00
180	30 rolls, same	45.00
181	1952 Proof Set	24.00
182	1952 Proof Sets (2)	48.00
183	½ roll, 1954-P cents, Unc. but not choice	6.50
184	3 pages, 1955 PDS cents in 3 holders: (18) 55-S; (28) 55-P; (28) 55-D; reverse streaks, 64 coins	11.00
185	roll 1954-D cents, B.U.	5.50
186	rolls 1956-P B.U., 2 rolls	7.50
187	rolls 1957-P B.U. 2 rolls	6.50
188	2 Mint Sets, 1956 P & D, 18 coins, Unc., in holders ($2.64 face)	8.00
189	2 rolls, B.U., 1956-D nickels	11.00
190	1 roll 1956-P dimes, B.Unc.	8.00
191	1 roll 1957-P dimes, B. Unc.	7.50
192	1 roll 1956-P quarters, B.Unc.	13.00
193	1 roll 1957-D quarters, Brill. Unc.	12.50
194	10 1956-P halves in holder, B. Unc.	8.00
195	1 roll 1956-P halves, Br. Unc. (20)	15.00
196	Large $5.00 bill, series 1914, good but creased, N.Y. Fed. Reserve 2-A, ink printing on obverse and reverse	7.50
197	**John Hart note - Colonial paper money March 25, 1776, signed by John Hart who signed Decla. of Indep. 3 months later, 3 shillings, Ex.Cond.**	**35.00**
198	**1895-O dime, V.Good, scarce**	**45.00**
	SEC. 5 - Commemorative Halves & Sets	
199	1959 (no date double tail) reverse incused	100.00
200	Cleveland Great Lakes Exposition P mint, AU both San Francisco-Oakland Bay Bridge-S mint, 1936 AU	12.00
201	1936 Long Island Tercentenary, BU	6.00
202	1936 York County, Maine Tercentenery, BU	9.50
203	1936 Bridgeport, Conn. Centennial, Abt. Brill. Unc.	8.00
204	1946 Iowa Centennial, BU	10.00
205	1937 Roanoke Island, North Carolina Brill. Unc.	11.50
206	1936 Providence Rhode Island Ter-	

centenary - P mint, Brill. Unc. 7.00
207 1936-D California-Pacific Exposition 8.50
208 1936 Arkansas Centennial 1936-S,BU 5.50
210 1922 Grant Memorial, no star, Unc. 10.00
211 1936-S Texas Centennial, Unc. 5.00
212 1923-S Monroe Doctrine Centennial, Abt. Brill. Unc. 7.00
213 1924 Huguenot-Walloon Tercentenary, Brill. Unc. 10.50
214 1925 Stone Mountain, 2 pieces: (1) BU; (1) XF 5.75
215 1925 Lexington Concord Sesquicentennial, BU 6.00
216 California Diamond Jubilee-S Mint, BU 11.50
217 Daniel Boone Bicentennial-P Mint, BU 7.00
218 Sesquicentennial of American Independence, Abt. Brill. Unc. 7.00
219 Columbia Half, two pieces; 1892 & 1893, both XF 3.00
220 Oregon Trail Mountain, 1926-S, XF 2.00
221 Washington Carver, 2 pieces: 1951-P & 1952-P, both Unc. 6.00
222 Booker T. Washington, 2 pieces: 1946-P, one AU, other Unc. 3.00
223 1873 10c with arrows, Fine 9.00
224 1832 10c, large stars, G; 1868 Shield 5c, 2 pieces, VG 3.75
225 1861 $1 gold, Fine 16.00
226 1914-D $2½ gold, Fine 13.50
227 one 1956 Proof Set
228 one set, Roos. dimes 46-59 in Green Folder, BU 34.00
229 one set Wash. quarters, 1932 PSD-1959 PSD, good av. set cat. $27 27.00
230 one set 1932 PSD-1959 PD Wash. 25c in Green folder, overage-Fine, 1932-D is fine, over 20 Uncirculated 40.00
231 Merc. dime set complete, no 42/41, none below VG; 1916-D is good plus; 1921-P VG-F; 1931 S&D, F; 1927-D AF; 1926-S, Fine 100.00
233 Jeff. 5c set; BU in green folder; all coins Unc. and nice 110.00
234 ½c 1804, stemless, Good 2.50
235 ½c 1825, VF-XF, obverse has small nicks; rev. weak L, VF 9.00
236 ½c 1849 Large date, AF, small facial and small edge nicks 10.00
237 ½c 1851, Fine 4.50
238 ½c 1853, Extra Fine, pinpoint nick on side-sharp 9.00
239 ½c 1856, small field nick, Fine 5.00
240 five large cnts: 1849, 51, 52, 53 & 54, all F-VF 10.00
241 1861 Ind. cnt, vry minor surface, still VF 10.00
242 1864 copper-nickel, BU, nice 10.00
243 1864 bronze Ind. cent. XF, traces of lustre 10.00
244 1869 Ind. cent, XF, trace of lustre, 2 sm. nicks on edge
245 1870 Ind. cent, VF, sm. die break obv.; same as #244 but sm. edge nick 23.00
246 1878 Ind. cent, Fine plus 11.50
247 1884 Ind. cent, AU, brown, nice 11.50
248 2 1909 Ind. cent, Unc., toned a bit, nice, Abt. Unc. 6.50
249 1916-S Lnc. BU obv. little streaked 14.50
25 1938 Lnc. Proof cent 7.50
251 1851-O 3c silver X.Fine plus 29.50
252 two 1913 Buffalo 5c on mound, 1 Unc., 1 A.U. 5.00
253 1896-O Barber 10c, Good plus 15.00
254 1896-S Barber 10c, Good plus 22.00
255 1897 Barber 10c, B.U. Gem with pink and blue toning 10.00
256 1936 50c Comm., Norfolk Bicentennial, B.U.; 15,000 made 29.00
257 1892 Canada Large cent; B.A.U. 10.00
258 1919 Can. 25c, just shade under U. 12.00
SECTION 7
259 1894 Indian cent, Proof 16.50
260 1914 Cent, Matte Proof 21.00
261 1915 Cent, Matte Proof 25.00
262 1886 Lib. 5c, Proof 52.50
263 1894 Lib. 5c, Proof 16.50
264 1905 Lib. 5c, Proof 14.00
265 1910 Lib. 5c, Proof 14.00
266 1948 Mint Set in mint folders
267 1950 Mint Set in plastic holder
268 4 1955 Mint Sets complete
269 5 1955 Mint Sets in mint folders
270 1958 Mint Set in holder
271 1 roll of 1955-P nickels 50.00
272 1 roll B.U. cents: (15) 43-S; (15) 55-S; (20) 47-P 25.00
273 1911 5c B.U., sharp 10.00
274 1950-D 5c B.U., nice 8.00
275 1 roll 1958-P nickels B.U. 12.00
276 186210c abt. unc.-unc. dark 7.00
277 1909-P 10c B.U. 6.50
278 1892-O 25c V.F. plus 11.00
279 1901-P 25c B.U. 10.50
280 1892-P 50c Unc. 16.50
281 1787 Colonial Cent, V.Fine 12.00
282 Set of Flying Eagles, 57 is VG; both 58's Fine 17.50
283 1859 copper-nickel XF, Ind. c 8.00
284 1860 cop-nick. Ind. c, XF 7.00
285 1861 cop-nick. Ind. c, XF 14.00
286 1862 & 1863 cop-nick. Ind. c, XF 6.00
287 1864 copper cent, XF 7.00
288 1866 Ind. cent, VG part Liberty 10.00
289 1870 Ind. cent, VG 14.00
290 1871 Ind. cent, Fair 7.50
291 1872 Ind. cent, VG, part Liberty 23.00
292 1865 2c pieces, XF & AU 10.00
293 1853 quarter, 1877-CC 7.00
294 1861 quarter, Ex.Fine 6.00
295 1832 halves, (2) sm. letters, Fine; lg. letters, VG 9.00
296 1834 and 1836 halves, Very Fine 8.00
297 1854-P, VG; 1854-O, Gd., 1857-P, Good 50c 7.00
298 1855-O, Very Fine 50c 9.00
299 1870-S, Extra Fine 50c 20.00
300 1873, open 3, Good 50c 10.00
301 1876-CC & 1877-S, both VG 7.50
BARBER HALVES
302 1892-S, good 18.00
303 1893-O, very good 10.00
304 1893-S, Fine 40.00
305 1896-O 13.00
306 1896-S, half fair 14.00
307 1897-O, Good 20.00
308 1897-S, Good 17.50
309 1897-S obv. Good, rev. Abt. Good 16.00
310 1913-P, Abt. Fine 18.00
311 1914-P, Abt. Fine 32.00
312 1915-P half, Very Good 28.00
313 1916-P Liberty Half, B.U. 25.00
314 1917-S Reverse, E.F. 22.50
315 1917-D Reverse, E.F. 35.00
316 1918, Abt. Unc. 40.00
317 1919-D, Unc. 275.00
318 1920-P, B.U. 35.00
319 1921-P, Ex.Fine 80.00
SECTION 10 - RARE KEY COINS
320 RARE 1796 Half Cent, no pole, plain edge, Fair 200.00
321 RARE 1914-D cent, Brilliant Unc. 350.00
322 SCARCE 1955-P shift cent, A.Unc. with trace of lustre 85.00
323 Crisp $1.00 1862 Series 57.00
324 Five Dollar Gold, 1808, almost unc., choice, only 55,000 struck, proof-like surface 150.00
325 1794 Large Cent, Xtra Fine, Reverse a weak strk., still a beauty, Rare 100.00
326 1958-P Uncirculated Cent struck in silver, RARE and nice 100.00
327 Unc. Gem, 1913-D Linc. Cent, BU 35.00
328 1870-CC Half Dollar, RARE, G-VG, Rev. minor edge nicks and sl. scr. 40.00
329 Complete RARE frosted set 1957 Proofs, 10c, 25c, & 50c are beauties. Also regular 1959 set in white capital holder 60.00
330 1912 off metal copper Barber dime, Very Good-Fine, a rarity 175.00
331 1825 Half Cent, Abt. Fine 4.50
332 1826 almost Unc. brown ½c 15.00
333 1851 ½c, Abt. Unc. 11.00
334 1931-D, Lincoln, Unc. 30.00
335 1935-D, Linc. c, Brill. Unc. 7.00
336A 1864 2c, small motto, ARRE, VG 30.00
336 1872 2c, Abt. Fine, very scarce 25.00
337 1942/1 dime, F-VF, very scarce 75.00
338 1932-D 25c, Good, scarce 6.00
339 1932-D quarter, F-VF, scarce 25.00
340 1799 Sil. $, scarcest of all; 8 stars left, 5 right; VF & V. Scarce 85.00
340A 1855 Sil. $, XF-AU, 26,000 minted; Very Scarce 85.00
341 Washington Carver 50c, Unc. set of Commemoratives 1951 PDS 12.00
342 Roll of 1955-S dimes, B.U. 19.00
343 Roll of Bugs Bunny Buck Teeth 1955-P halves, scarce 25.00
344 1957 Gold plated proof set in wh. hd. 10.00
345 one roll, 50 Ind. cents; mixed dates, 1887-1909, no "S" G-VG 15.00
346 100 Corona gold 1915, BU; Franc. 10 S.I.D.G.Imp.Avstr.Rex Boh.Gal.III.Etc. Et Ap. Rex vng. 60.00
347 South China saddle sycee 5 tael pc. like siglers #9 or 10 Circulated in Yunan No. Siam and Burma 5 tael (161.5gr) Circulated, nice 50.00
348 1826,8 escudos,Ind. of chile; XF choice cond; gold chain-watch 2 oz. 150.00
349 1858 Canadian Dime A.U. 25.00
350 1908 Canadian Dime B.U. 30.00
SECTION 12 - Consignment lots to be ann. at act. #351-375
376 1920 Pilgrim Half Comm. 5.00
377 1925 Stone Mountain Halves, 3 pieces, (2) AU, (1) Unc. 9.00
378 1925 Lexington Concord, E.F. 4.00
379 1935-D Texas Centennial, BU 6.00
380 1936 Long Island Half 6.00
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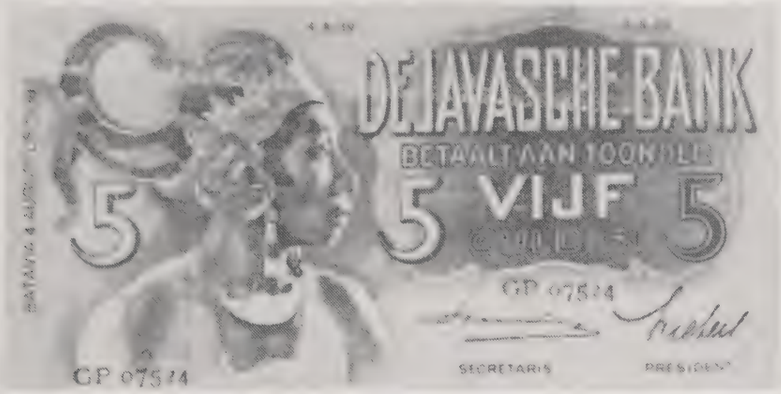

Bank Notes of Foreign Nations

By Harold Don Allen

FROM JAVA, AN EXOTIC PRE-WAR RELEASE

The Dutch style of this pre-war "5 Gulden" of "De Javasche Bank" is refreshingly different from the more orthodox styles of paper money to be seen in most lands at that time. Notice how the design covers the entire obverse, without margins, and the native figure (magnificently engraved) assumes added stature from the obsence of confining borders. The engraving is in purple, with overall background tints of violet and blue. Dated at Batavia, August 4, 1939, the note is of an issue which saw service for many years prior to the War. Reverse inscription is in four languages, including Chinese.

A LOCAL POUND, ISSUED IN THE ISLE OF MAN

While the pound note of the "Old Lady of Threadneedle Street", the Bank of England, is familiar to most collectors and is "legal tender" throughout the British Isles, less collectors seem acquainted with the local pounds, circulating by popular acceptance (as did the chartered bank notes in Canada) throughout Scotland, the Channel Islands and the Isle of Man (in the Irish Sea). Martins Bank, Limited, one of five Manx banks of issue, is responsible for this remarkable note (by Waterlow, London), which is perhaps unique among recent issues of the world in that its obverse, reverse, backgrounds, serial numbers, date overprint (1st May, 1953) and signatures all are black. These local pounds of Britain constitute an unusual and quite neglected numismatic series.

50 *Bolivianos, An Early Issue of the Recent Inflation*

One of the worst inflations to hit the wobbly economies of the South American republics is that which has raged in Bolivia in recent years, making a crisp, blue 10,000 Bolivianos worth something just more than a dollar on foreign exchange. The inflation is one which paper money enthusiasts have watched with interest, for the dwindling buying power has not been reflected (as so often it is) is a cheapening of the quality of the notes. Such beautiful notes as this purple **fifty,** supported in orange and with prismatic tints in pink and green (A.B.N.Co.), have been available with little difficulty. The splendid engraving is highlighted in the vignettes of two heros of the continent, Simon Bolivar (left) and Marical A. J. de Sucre. Reverse, red, depicts the Bolivian arms.

THE STRAITS SETTLEMENTS DOLLAR, GEORGE V.

This pleasant, blue note is distinguished by the quality of its royal portraiture, and highlighted in appearance by the multihued supporting design so characteristic of the work of its engravers, Bradbury, Wilkinson & Co., Ltd., the English affiliate of American Bank Note. The note points up the truth that coinage persists where notes do not, for the silver pieces of this British Asiatic region are extremely common, yet the bank notes, replaced since the war by those of Malaya and British Borneo, are seldom seen. This dollar is dated at Singapore, 1st January, 1935, and on its blue reverse depicts a stalking tiger in tall grass.

An earlier Portugese Colonial issue, for Mozambique

The collector who seeks "one of each country" has his troubles when he searches out the diverse colonial issues of Portugal, whether it be the rupee of Goa, the Angolares of west Africa, or the pataca of Timor. The notes of Mozambique, possibly by virtue of the greater population or more active commerce, seem more accessible: this one is unusual only for its relatively early vintage. It is a 20 centavos fractional of the Banco National Ultramarino, Lisbon, issued locally at Lorenco Marques, Nov. 5, 1914. The engraving is in blue, with a green tint, and with the multicolour background characteristic of Bradbury, Wilkinson, its British producers. The bank seal, lower centre, is overprinted in red. Observe the engraving at the extreme left, suggesting that a counterfoil was attached before issue, which would be remarkable in itself on a twentieth century note, particularly a fractional value.

HOW JUST PLAIN MONEY CAN MAKE MORE MONEY

By J. K. EDMONDS

The Financial Post, Toronto, Canada

Six years ago, *Theater Poster Services Ltd.,* a Winnipeg advertising firm, was looking for a new way to help its clients lure more children into Saturday movies.

On the basis of a small item in a trade magazine, they decided to try foreign coins.

Each child got a map on his first visit, and a foreign coin on each subsequent visit to the movies, with a prize for collecting all 15 coins offered.

As a result, the firm now has a second business *(International Coin Co.)* with a volume more than equal to its original lines, and with customers all over the world.

Through a subsidiary *(Canadian Numismatic Publishing Institute)* it has published a Guide Book of Canadian Coins, Currency and Tokens which has sold more than 55,000 copies since April, 1959, and is in use in the British Museum, the Library of Congress, the Royal Danish Museum, and other major reference institutions.

Canadian firms in Winnipeg and Toronto, are now making, for International Coin, half a dozen items of coin-collectors' supplies formerly imported from the U. S.

"We didn't have any idea what we were getting into," recalls Somer James, vice president of Theater Poster Services and president of International Coin.

"All we wanted was some low-denomination foreign coins to hand out to the kids. But the promotion caught on.

"Odeon used it in 45 theaters, and a number of independents used it. We found we needed more and more coins.

"We had to start ordering bulk quantities from the larger coin dealers in the U. S.

"Then we got to the point where they couldn't supply us, but instead we were supplying them with Canadian coins.

"To get our supplies of foreign coins, we took to dealing directly with foreign mints in quantities of 50,000-100,000 coins at a time, and the next thing we knew, we were coin wholesalers."

Getting coins from foreign mints required salesmanship in some cases.

The large Irish penny has a metallic value greater than the face value of the coin. The Irish government lost money every time it sold pennies abroad.

Theater Poster had to enlist the aid of the Irish Tourist Board to persuade the government to release pennies on the ground that their wide-spread circulation in Canada would promote interest in Ireland.

Another hazard was encountered in Jamaica, which coined only enough currency for international use and had a regulation against export of coins.

This was waived by the Colonial Currency Board in London, which at that time controlled circulation of Jamaican coins.

By 1956, the coin business had grown to the point where International Coin Co. had to be set up to handle it.

A brisk market had developed for coin collectors' supplies (folders, coin envelopes, coin bags, acetate paper-money holders).

International Coin imported these to distribute to other dealers, then began designing new items to be made in Canada.

One item they felt the trade needed very badly was a new coin catalogue suitable for use by the novice. Existing catalogues had limited distribution and were soberly written for the expert collector.

With the aid of H. C. Taylor, a coin collector of over 25 years' experience, International Coin prepared a 152-page illustrated Coin Guide.

More than a catalogue, the book contains a brief history of Canadian currency, a "how-to-do-it" section for the new collector, and an illustrated guide to Canadian paper money as well as tokens and coins.

The book was distributed through news dealers on a fully-returnable basis, and was handled by other coin dealers as well.

To avoid giving International Coin advantage in handling coin sales generated by the book, the subsidiary "Canadian Numismatic Publishing Institute" was created to publish it.

Collectors from California to Maine, as well as Canadians, bought the book; 15,000 of the 55,000 copies distributed so far have gone to the U. S.

"Without knowing it, we happened into the coin business just when it was undergoing a big expansion," James explains.

"For years coin collecting had been an unusual hobby — it's rare to find a collector with the long experience of Mr. Taylor.

"Now it's a very big thing. Membership in the Canadian Numismatic society is growing at the rate of 20% per year and is now over 2,000."

There are about 40 coin clubs in Canada. In the U.S., coin collecting started growing earlier, and is growing at about the same rate.

Interest in collecting Canadian coins is growing even faster, since many U. S. collectors are switching to "Canada's" as a specialty.

James offers several reasons for the upsurge in coin collecting.

All hobbies are gaining ground with the increase in leisure time. Coin collecting has the same appeal as stamp collecting, but is a little newer.

The difficulties of handling and displaying a coin collection (both sides of the coin must be displayed, and weight is a problem) have been overcome by the introduction of polyethylene coin evvelopes, display cases, and other accessories.

A 50¢ folder is all a youngster needs to begin collecting coins. Since people are handling coins all the time, once they begin to take an interest in date, condition and rarity, it's easy to build a collection.

Coin clubs have spread interest rapidly, since they offer social contacts and an easy introduction to the refinements of collecting.

The popularity of Canadian coins with U. S. collectors is partly the result of the fact that denominations are the same (making it easy for the novice) and that Canadian coins are in circulation in the border states. But more important, Canadian coins have a world-wide reputation for beauty and fine execution, and U. S. collectors like the royal symbols on the coins.

Experts as well as novices have taken up "Canadians" as a specialty, James says.

As soon as interest in Canadian coins began to grow, U. S. collectors began investing in scarce items like the 50¢ piece of 1932.

Only 19.000 of these were minted, and a little arithmetic with the growth with the growth of population in North America and the proportion of collectors in the population sug;gested that these would soon become very valuable.

(Current catalogue price: $3 each if in "good" condition; $75 if in "extra fine" condition.)

As U. S. collectors bid up the prices of Canadian coins, more Canadians become interested.

"Every few weeks there's a story in the paper about someone getting a big price for a Canadian coin." says James. "That always starts a flurry of interest in coin collecting here."

Besides the ordinary run of novice and expert collectors, there are also "vest-pocket dealers"—usually men who travel around a good deal, and can buy coins in out of the way places, then bring them to a major dealer for sale.

"Retired railwaymen often become vest-pocket coin dealers," James says. "It keeps them busy, gives them a reason for traveling, and occasionally makes them some money."

An investment of from $3,000 to $6,000 in coins, and an ad in the numismatic journals, puts them in business. Essential equipment is ability to judge the "condition" of coins and familiarity with market prices.

A favorite gimmick of collectors is to put away a bag of uncirculated coins the year they are issued, then sell them to a dealer a few years later at a profit.

The coins are bought from a branch of a chartered bank in "mint-sealed" bags at face value.

Within two years, according to James they are likely to be worth a minimum of 15% over face value.

Small cents of 1957 in mint-sealed bags are now selling at three times face value, and dealers are paying 60% over face value for some uncirculated 1958 coins already.

This market has to be watched, of course, just like the securities market.

Canadian silver dollars, which had been rising rapidly until recently, have been slow over the past three months owing to profit-taking.

Mint-sealed bags are usually sold to dealers at a third to a half of catalogue value, James says.

The coins must be fed into the market slowly, over two or three years, and part of a dealer's skill comes in judging how many of a given denomination the market will be able to absorb within a period of time.

But even at that, a coin collector who put away a bag of pennies (2,000 to a bag) to celebrate his son's birth in 1939 was able to get $3,000 from a dealer for them last year — enough to pay the boy's university expenses.

What does the mint think of all this? According to James, the collectors and dealers are probably a nuisance to the mint, but are treated with great courtesy and co-operation.

The mint does make a small profit on the coins it issues — and of course the tribute paid by collectors to the Canadian standard of coinage is a source of pride.

Like the Post Office, the mint does cater to collectors by producing "mint sets" of each year's coinage.

These are coins struck by the usual machinery, but then placed by hand in cardboard holders, not subjected to the abrasion that occurs in bags.

Face value of the coins is $1.91. The mint charged $3 for this year's mint sets, for which dealers are now offering $4.25. (cont. on page 26)

Mr. X invested $500 in coins in 1954:

He bought (in mint-sealed bags):

Five bags of pennies (10,000)	$ 100.00
Two bags of nickels (2,000)	100.00
One bag of dimes (1,000)	100.00
One bag of quarters (400)	100.00
One bag of half-dollars (100)	50.00
One bag of silver dollars (50)	50.00
Total face value of 1954 coins	$ 500.00
Cost of investment at 5% per year	125.00
Storage and depreciation	nil
Cost	$ 625.00

In 1959 he sold the coins to a dealer for 1/3 catalogue value:

Uncirculated 1954 pennies 30¢ each	$3,000.00
" " nickels 40¢ each	800.00
" " dimes 60¢ each	600.00
" " quarters $1.35 each	540.00
" " half-dollars $2 each	200.00
" " silver dollars $4.50 each	450.00
Total catalogue value in 1959	$5.590.00
Received from dealer	1,863.32
Less cost	6.25.00
Profit	$1,238.32

The catch:

Mr. X had to do this in 1954. If every reader of FP tried to do it now, the mint would respond by striking more coins, and dealers in 1965 would be less eager to buy five-year-old-mint-sealed bags of coins.

But dealers point out that interest in collecting Canadian coins is still growing rapidly, especially in the U. S., suggesting a continued bull market in uncirculated Canadian coins. And of course, they add, you can always spend them.

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1944-S	45.00	1947-S	17.50	1953-P	8.50	1956-D	5.75
1945-D	25.00	1948-P	8.50	1953-S	12.50	1956-P	5.75
1945-S	23.75	1948-S	32.00	1954-D	6.50	1957-P	4.50
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1946-S	7.50	1949-D	10.50	1956-P	3.50
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1947-D	10.00	1953-D	6.50	1958-PD	2.00
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1917 D G	1.65
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1918 S G	1.45
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1919 F	.60
1919 S V/G	6.00
1919 D G	1.00
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1923 S V/G	1.50
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1924 S G	2.75
1924 D G	1.00
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1926 S F	14.00
1926 D V F	2.25
1927 E/F	1.00
1927 S E F	40.00
1927 D E/F	3.50
1928 E/F	.75
1928 S F	.85
1928 D F	.45
1929 F	.15
1929 S E F	1.25
1929 D E/F	1.50
1930 F	.15
1930 S E/F	2.00
1934 E/F	.75
1934 D F	.45
1935 F	.15
1935 S E/F	.90
1935 D F	.25
1936 E F	.35
1936 S E/F	.45
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1938-S	.55	18.75
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1939-S	.60	19.25
1939-D	1.35	
1942-D	.20	4.85
1946-S	.20	4.85
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Date	G	VG	F	VF
1909	.05	.10	.15	.25
1909 VDB	.17	.25	.35	.60
1909 S	700	8.25	9.50	11.00
1910-11	.03	.07	.25	.50
1910 S	.60	.90	1.50	2.75
1911 S	2.20	2.75	4.00	6.00
1911 D	.40	.60	1.75	
1912-13	.05	.10	.35	
1912 S	1.25	1.75	3.00	5.00
1912 D		.50	.85	2.00
1913 S	.75	1.10	1.75	2.95
1913 D	.40	.75	1.50	
1914	.05	.10	.30	
1914 S	1.25	1.75	3.00	5.00
1915	.20	.40	1.50	
1915 S	.85	1.30	2.00	2.95
1915 D	.25	.40	1.00	
1916-20	.03	.05	.20	
1916 S	.10	.25	.75	1.50
1916D-17-18D	.05	.10	.35	
1917S-18S	.05	.10	.35	1.25
1919 S-D	.05	.10	.25	.50
1920 S-D	.05	.10	.30	1.00
1921	.05	.10	.35	
1921 S	.15	.25	1.00	2.50
1922 D	.90	1.20	2.00	
1923-24	.03	.05	.15	
1923 S	.30	.50	1.50	4.00
1924 S	.20	.30	1.00	3.50
1924 D	2.00	2.75	4.00	
1925-30	.03	.05	.10	
1925 S	.03	.10	.35	1.00
1925 D	.05	.10	.35	
1926 S	.06	.90	2.00	4.00
1926 D	.03	.15	.35	
1927 S	.15	.25	.50	1.50
1927 D	.03	.08	.15	
1928 S	.05	.10	.35	1.00
1928 D	.03	.05	.10	
1929 S	.03	.08	.15	.25
1929 D	.03	.08	.15	
1930 S	.04	.08	.15	.25
1930 D	.04	.08	.15	.25
1931	.05	.10	.20	.35
1931 S			9.00	11.00
1931 D	.50	.75	1.25	2.00
1932-33	.20	.30	.40	.75
1932 D	.10	.15	.35	.70
1933 D	.25	.40	.65	1.00
1938 S	.05	.10	.15	.25
1938 D	.03	.05	.10	
1939 D	.15	.20	.25	.35

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37 D VG-F	7.50
38 S VG-F	10.00
39 S VG-F	10.00
49 S G-VG	8.50
49 S F-VF	12.50
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19S FR-G-VG	1.15
21S FR-G-VG	6.50
24S FR-G-VG	8.00
25S G-VG	1.50
27S FR-VG	4.25
28S FR-VG	2.50
30S-D FR-VG	1.75
47P F-VF	2.50
54P F-VF	3.00
35S VF-XF	12.00
36S VF-XF	6.75
37S VF-XF	5.75
38S F-XF	7.50
39S VF-XF	6.00
*52S EF-AU	4.00
*53S EF-AU	2.50
*54S EF-AU	2.75
55S F-AU	3.00

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	VG	F	VF	AU XF
38-39 P	.13	.18	.22	.35
38 S	.35	.45	.55	1.00
38 D	.25	.35	.45	.90
39 S	.22	.30	.65	
39 D	1.00	1.50	2.50	
40 S-41 S	.15	.20	.50	1.75
SILVERS	.15	.25	.35	.45
46-7-8-9 S	.15	.20	.25	.40
50 P-55 P	.20	.30	.35	
51 S-52 D		.25	.30	.45
52-3-4 S		.15	.20	.25

58 P BU .30 (limit one)

59 P BU .25 (limit one)

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30 S	4.00	40-41 S	3.75
35 S-D	4.00	45 S	4.50
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37 S-D	4.00	51 S	5.00
39 S	8.75	52-3-4 S	4.00

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19 S	.15	.30	.40	.90
17 S	.20	.40	.75	1.75
17 D	.30	1.00	1.85	
18 S-D	.20	.40	.80	2.75
19 S-D	.25	1.00	1.85	7.00
20 S-D	.20	.35	.80	2.25
21 P	2.00	3.75	6.00	
21 D	3.00	4.50	8.00	
23 S	.30	.60	1.00	2.75
24 S-D	.20	.60	1.00	2.25
25 S-D	.20	.70	1.10	3.25
26 S	.85	1.25	2.75	6.00
26 D	.20	.40	.80	2.50
27 S	.20	.50	.80	3.50
27 D	.25	.75	1.50	6.50
28 S-D	.25	.50	.80	2.25
29 S-D	.20	.35	.50	1.00
30 P-31 P	.25	.40	.60	1.00
30 S-31 S		.80	1.20	2.25
31 D	.85	1.00	1.25	2.75

	VG	F	VF	AU
34 D	.25	.45	.60	.75
35 D	.25	.50	.85	1.50
35 S	.20	.40	.50	.65
36 D	.20	.40	.65	1.25
36 S	.20	.40	.65	1.25
37 D	.15	.25	.35	.75
37 S	.15	.25	.45	.90
38 D	.15	.25	.35	.60
38 S	.15	.25	.45	.90
39 D		.20	.25	.45
40 D		.18	.25	.40
40 S	.15	.25	.35	.60
41 D		.15	.22	.35
41 S	.15	.25	.35	.60
42 D		.15	.20	.25
42 S		.18	.25	.40
43 D		.15	.20	.25
43 S		.15	.22	.35
44 D		.15	.20	.25
44 S		.15	.22	.30
45 D		.15	.20	.25
45 S		.15	.22	.30
45 S Micro	.28	.50	.75	1.50
49 S	.25	.45	.60	1.25
50 S		.30	.50	.80
51 S		.20	.40	.70
55 P		.20	.25	.40
55 D-S	.15	.20	.25	.30

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I read your columns about rare finds. Recently I've found a 1939-D half dollar without "LIBERTY" on obverse.

The coin is in V.G. condition and otherwise it seems to be normal except, that the word "LIBERTY" entirely is missing.

I'd appreciate if you or your readers could let me know anything about this coin as to how many are known or its value, if any.

—Frank Lakatos
212 East 85th Street
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MIDDLESEX COUNTY COIN CLUB

Meetings of the Middlesex County Coin Club are held the 3rd Wednesday of every month at 8:00 P. M. at the American Legion Hall, Lake & Holly Sts., Metuchen, N. J.

The new officers of the club are: President, Mr. Kenn Morrison; V. President, Mr. Milton Stern; Sec'y.-Treas., Mr. Edward Skiba; Corr. Sec'y., Mrs. Patricia Kiraly; Sgt. At Arms, Mr. Alexander Paskowitz.

H. A. N. A. HILITES

The 288th consecutive monthly meeting of the Heart of America Numismatic Association was held Monday night, February 16th, at the Stewart Sand and Materials Building. Over 135 members and guests were present. Dan Ellis announced that twelve new membership applications were accepted. This brings our total paid membership for 1960 to 185. If the renewals and new applications continue at this rate, H.A.-N.A. should reach 600 members this year.

President Buford Ellis announced that three new coin shops had opened here in Kansas City, Missouri, in the last month. We now have eight fine coin shops, all doing well.

Ray Lefman reported that the Grand Ballroom of the Hotel Muehlebach has been reserved for the weekend of November 26th and 27th for the second annual Midwest Coin Fair. Co-Chairman Lefman and Ralph Bondon are already laying the groundwork for what should prove to be another terrific success.

The raffle, under the direction of Harold Eissinger, went off without a hitch. Jim Kilgore won the first prize of a $5.00 gold piece; Ken Winterod drew second for an 1855 half cent and John Serafin won a 1958 Canadian silver dollar. The door prize, a 1946 S B. U. 50¢, contributed by Buford Ellis, was won by Marquis Hibbs.

Next month Bill Knapp is to discuss his fine collection with us and offer his suggestions to new collectors.

— Dave Hochberg

Young lady driver, presenting parking ticket at police station: "Did one of your men lose this? I found it on my windshield."

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Policeman: How did the accident happen?

Motorist: My wife fell asleep in the back seat.

BRILL. UNC. ROLLS

1955 D 5c	$ 7.50
1959 P 5c	8.75
1956 P 5c	5.75
1959 D 5c	3.60
1958 D 5c	4.60
1959 PD 1c	.85
1958 P 1c	2.25
1952 D 1c	7.50
1955 P 10c	40.00
1955 S 10c	24.00

MERCURY DIMES

	AG	G	VG	F
1916	.25	.30	.50	.75
1916 S	.30	.40	.50	.75
1917 P	.15	.25	.50	.75
1917 D	.50	1.00	2.00	4.00
1917 S	.30	.50	1.00	1.50
1918 P	.25	.40	.60	1.00
1918 D	.30	.50	1.50	2.00
1918 S	.35	.50	1.50	4.00
1919 P	.20	.30	1.00	1.25
1919 D	.75	1.50	3.50	—
1920 P	.35	.75	1.00	1.25
1920 D	.25	.75	1.50	3.25
1920 S	.35	.75	1.50	2.25
1921 P	1.50	3.00	4.50	7.50
1923 P	.25	.35	.50	.75
1923 S	.50	1.00	1.75	3.75
1924 P	.25	.40	.50	.75
1924 D	.30	.50	1.00	1.75
1924 S	.50	.75	1.25	2.25
1925 P	.25	.35	.50	.75
1925 D	.60	1.00	1.50	2.00
1925 S	.60	1.00	2.00	3.50
1926 P	.20	.30	.50	.60
1926 D	.30	.60	1.20	2.50
1926 S	.75	1.50	3.50	4.50
1931 DS	.75	1.00	1.25	2.25

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— WANTED —

1959 Proof Sets	$3.00 each
1955 Proof Sets	$6.00 each
1956 Proof Sets	$3.40 each
1958 Pr of Sets	$5.75 each
Bust Type Halves 1807-1833 F/VF	$1.50 each

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	G	G-VG	VG	VG-F
1892	1.50	—	2.50	—
1893	1.00	1.50	2.00	3.25
1894 S	2.25	3.00	—	—
1894	1.50	—	2.50	3.50
1896 O	4.50	—	—	—
1897	1.25	1.50	1.75	—
1898	1.00	1.25	1.50	2.50
1898 O	2.25	3.00	4.50	—
1899	.75	1.00	1.50	2.50
1899 O	—	2.00	2.75	—
1899S AG 1.50	—	—	—	—
1900	—	1.25	1.50	2.25
1900 O	1.25	1.50	2.00	3.25
1900 S	1.25	1.50	—	—
1901-2-3-4	.85	1.00	1.25	1.75
1901 O	2.00	2.50	4.25	—
1901 S AG $3	—	6.00	—	—
1902 O	1.50	2.00	3.00	3.75
1903 S	1.25	1.75	2.50	3.50
1903 S	2.00	2.75	3.50	—
1904 O	—	1.75	2.50	—
1904 S	4.00	5.50	6.75	—
1905 AG 1.25	—	—	2.50	3.75
1906-7-8-9	.75	.85	1.00	1.50
1905 O	2.00	2.50	4.50	7.50
1905 S	1.50	2.50	3.50	4.75
1906 D	1.00	1.25	1.50	2.00
1906 O	1.00	1.50	2.50	—
1906 S	—	1.50	3.50	—
1907 D	.75	1.00	1.25	—
1907 O	1.00	1.25	1.75	—
1907 S	1.25	1.50	2.25	—
1908 DS	.75	.85	1.00	1.50
1908 S	—	1.50	2.50	—
1909 O	1.00	1.50	2.50	4.50
1909 S	—	—	2.00	3.00
1910	1.50	2.25	3.00	3.75
1910 S	1.00	1.50	1.75	2.25
1911-12	.75	.85	1.00	1.50
1911 DS	1.25	1.75	2.50	3.50
1912 D	1.00	1.25	1.50	2.00
1912 S	1.25	—	2.00	2.50
1913	—	7.75	10.00	14.50
1913 D	—	1.50	2.00	—
1913 S	1.50	2.00	4.50	7.00
1914 S	1.00	—	2.50	3.50
1915 D	1.00	1.25	1.50	2.50
1915 S	1.00	1.50	2.00	3.00

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	G	VG	F	VF
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1909	.15	.20	.15	.30
1909 S	— WANTED —			
1909	.05	.10	.29	.45
1910 S	.90	1.00	1.50	3.00
1911	.05	.10	.25	.50
1911 D	.45	.75	1.00	2.65
1911 S	2.10	2.65	3.40	5.00
1912	.10	.15	.30	.50
1912 D	.55	.95	1.95	4.35
1912 S	1.25	2.25	2.85	4.50
1913	.05	.10	.30	.50
1913 D	.25	.50	1.35	2.75
1913 S	.75	.90	1.75	2.75
1914	.10	.25	.85	1.60
1914 S	.95	2.25	3.80	5.85
1915	.20	.40	1.40	2.50
1915 D	.15	.35	.95	1.50
1915 S	.85	1.10	1.90	3.00
1916	.05	.10	.25	.50
1916 D	.10	.20	1.00	1.60
1916 S	.20	.35	1.45	2.40
1917	.05	.15	.35	.50
1917 D	.10	.25	.95	1.45
1917 S	.15	.30	1.10	1.50
1918	.05	.10	.30	.50
1918 D	.10	.25	1.10	1.60
1918 S	.15	.30	1.20	1.65
1919	.05	.10	.25	.45
1919 D	.10	.20	.65	1.50
1919 S	.05	.10	.50	1.00
1920	.05	.10	.25	.45
1920 D	.10	.15	.70	1.50
1920 S	.10	.15	.70	1.50
1921	.15	.30	.85	1.45
1921 S	.30	.55	2.90	9.50
1922 D	.85	1.15	2.35	3.35
1923	.05	.10	.25	.40
1923 S	.40	.70	3.25	8.00
1924	.05	.10	.20	.45
1924 D	—	2.65	4.00	—
1924 S	.30	.55	2.20	3.45
1925	.05	.10	.20	.40
1925 D	.10	.20	.65	1.10
1925 S	.15	.35	1.20	1.95
1926	.05	.10	.20	.35
1926 D	.10	.15	.45	.80
1926 S	.65	.95	2.45	4.00
1927	.05	.10	.15	.20
1927 D	.10	.15	.35	.65
1927 S	.15	.25	.95	2.40
1928	.05	.10	.16	.20
1928 D	.10	.15	.35	.65
1928 S	.15	.25	.65	1.20
1929	.03	.05	.10	.20
1929 D	.05	.10	.15	.30
1929 S	.05	.10	.15	.30
1930	.03	.05	.10	.15
1930 D	—	.20	.25	.25
1930 S	—	.20	.25	.25
1931	.15	.20	.40	.60
1931 D	—	—	1.10	1.45
1931 S	—	—	—	13.50
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1910-S Fine	1.50
1911-S Fine	3.50
1911-S VF	5.00
1912-S VG	1.75
1912-S Fine	2.50
1913-S VG	1.15
1913-S Fine	1.75
1914-S VG	1.75
1914-S Fine	2.50
1914-D VG	28.50
1914-D Abt. fine	35.00
1914-D fine	45.00
1915-S VG	1.15
1915-S fine	1.75
1921-S fine	1.50
1923-S fine	2.00
1921-S VF	3.50
1923-S VF	4.50
1924-S fine	1.75
1924-S VF	3.00
1926-S VG	.95
1926-S fine	1.50
1926-S VF	2.50
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1917-S Unc.	9.75
1918-S Unc.	14.50
1919-S Unc.	6.00

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10 CENT MERCURY: Watch lines on axe fasces, on coins classed very good some lines show, a fine coin should have all lines.

FOR BEGINNERS who are just starting to collect, here are a few suggestions and some advice. First, a coin guide book is a must. They can be purchased for $1.00 or more for helpful information: on care, condition, value, amount minted, types, how coins are made, and other news of help and interest. Most coins can be found in circulation. As you are making your set always try to improve the worn coins. Value of coins depends greatly on the condition. Never clean or polish coins unless you are experienced. If you must try, use a common date coin. There are handy cleaning kits available for this purpose. Coin insert folders and other supplies can be obtained at your dealer. You may also notice that the age of old coins do not make them rare. There are some late date coins minted that are worth more than some hundreds of years old. What makes one coin worth more than another by these factors: Amount of coins minted, availability, collectors' demand and any unusual die strikes. Coins can be obtained through purchases, by auction or trading with collectors.

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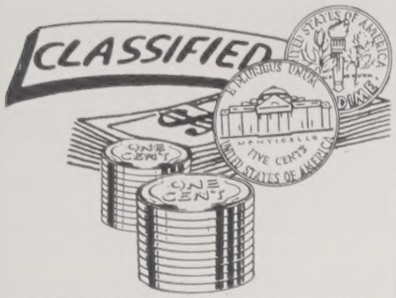

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1849 g ..... 1.00 1850 au 7.00
1850 vf .... 2.95 1851 au 8.50
1851 unc .... 10.00 1853 g ... .75
1853 f ..... 1.50 unc 7.50
1854 g ..... .75 f 1.50
1855 vf ..... 2.75 g ..... .75
1856 vf ..... 2.50 xf 4.00
1857 g ..... .60 f 1.25
1862 vg lgt scr .60 au 5.50
1872 obv f rev pr 1.00 1873 f 2.00
1875 2 holes vf .60 g 1.10
1875 vf .. 2.50 1875 s und unc 9.00
1875s vf .... 3.50 1875cc in xf 7.00
1875cc in wr vf 5.50 g 1.10
1877cc un wr unc scarce 20.00
1876 g ..... .35 xf 1.75
1876cc vg .... 1.25 abt g .... .60
1877 vg .... .75 1882 vg .... .75
1884 g ..... .40 f 1.35
1888 g .... 1.50 1890 g ..... .75
1891-o vf ..... 4.00 fr ..... .60
1891 au ..... 2.95 vg ..... .75
1892 g .. .50 1893 abt g .... .75
1894 g .. 1.75 1895-s lgt scr vg 7.50
1897 g ..... .75 vg 1.50
1897 xf .. 4.75 1898-s g 3.50
1898 g . .35 vg .. 1.00 unc .. 7.50
1899 g ... .35 g ... .60 au ... 3.50
1900 fr ..... .25 vg 1.00
1901 g ..... .25 f 1.35
1901-o g .... 1.25 1902 fr .... .20
1902 g ..... .30 vg ..... .40
1903-O g .... 1.00 scr g .... .50
1903 f .... 7.50 1904 vg .... .60
1904 g .... .20 1905 fr .... .20
1905 g ..... .25 vg ..... .35
1905-o g .. 1.50 1905-s g 1.10
1905-s vg .. 2.00 1906 fr .... .20
1906 g ..... .25 vg ..... .50
1906-d g ..... .40 vg ..... .75
1906-s fr ..... .50 g 1.00
1907 fr .. .20 g .. .30 vg.. .60
1907 vf .... 1.35 07-s fr .... .25
1907-d fr .. .25 g .. 65 vg.. 1.75
1908 g .. .20 08-d g .30 vg .65
1909 g ..... .20 vf 1.50
1909-O g ... 1.75 1910 fr ... .15
1910 g ..... .25 vg ..... .60
1910-d vg .. 1.25 10-s vg .. 2.25
1911 fr .. .15 g .. .25 vg .. .60
1911-d g .. .50 vg .. 1.00 f .. 1.35
1911-s g .. .60 1912-s g .... .65
1912 g .... .20 vg.. .60 f .. .85
1912-d g .. .35 vg .. 1.10 f .. 1.35
1913 g .. .20 vg .. .60 f .. .85
1914 g ..... .15 vg ..... .60
1914-d g .... .25 vg .. .85 f .. 1.25
1914-s g ..... .50 vg 1.50
1915 g ..... .15 vg ..... .25
1915-s g .... 1.25 1916 g .... .20
1916-s g ..... .30 vg ..... .85

NICKELS

1866 abt g .... 1.35 g 2.25
1866 xf .... 9.50 vg plugd .. 2.00
1866 ed nik f 4.50 67sp flr rays 2.00
1867 rays f .. 13.50 vg 9.50
1867 no r f .. 1.35 g ..... .75
1868 g .. .75 vg.. 1.25 f .. 1.75
1868 vf ..... 2.50 xf 3.75
1869 vg .... 2.25 abt f 2.75
1869 f .... 3.25 1870 g 2.00
1872 f ..... 4.75 vf 5.50
1873 g ..... 2.00 f 6.00
1876 vg 5.25
1877 CIRCULATED PROOF ONLY
500 STRUCK RARE XF 250.00
1882 Pr sm scr 12.50 vf 4.25
1882 abt f die var 3.50 f 2.75
1883 vf .. 3.00 xf .. 4.00 f .. 2.50
1883 no cents fine ..... .85
1883 vf ..... 1.00 xf 1.35
1883 au .... 1.75 unc 2.75
1883 with cents g 2.50
1888 xf .... 11.00 1889 f 3.00
1890 abt g .. 1.50 1891 g 1.15
1893 g .... 1.10 1895 g .... .25
1895 vg .... 1.50 f dull .... .75
1895 f .... 4.50 1896 fr .... .50
1897 vg .... 1.00 1898 g .... .50
1899 through 1912-p good 30c each
1900 through 1912-p vg .... 50c each
1900 through 1912-p f ..... 1.50 each
1911 au .... 6.00 1912 unc 8.75
1912-d g .... .75 abt f 5.50

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1808/7 xf 27.50
1809 f 4.95
1811 vg 3.50
1818 xf 12.00
1821 au pf surface 15.00
1824 xf 6.95
1826 xf choice 7.95
1827 initialed DM obv. xf 3.50
1831 vg 2.65
1831 xf attemp hole fixed 3.95
1832 f obv rev g 1.95
1832 xf sm let 6.95
1833 xf 6.95
1835 xf 6.95
1835 au choice 8.75
1837 xf pr like sur. choice at 19.75
1841 f 7.50
1844 au choice 15.25
1844 xf 12.95
1846-O T1 da lgt scr 5.95
1854 vg 3.95
1857-O obv g rev vg 1.95
1858-O vg 2.50
1860 f 2.95
1874 g scarce 10.50
1875 vf 6.75
1875-cc au 15.50
1876-s g ed nk 1.50

TWENTY CENTS

1875-s vg 7.95
1875-s f 9.95
1875-s vf 13.00
1875-s xf 17.00

EARLY QUARTERS

1806 obv abt g rev abt fr type space filler rare 7.00
1831 sm let xf 13.50
1835 au 12.95
1840-O xf 19.95
1846 au 13.75
1846 f 4.95
1853 ar & Rays die crack obv. xf 12.95
1853 ar & r g 2.75
1854 abt g 1.65
1854 vf 7.75
1857 f die lump rev 3.25
1857 xf a beauty 6.50
1861 vf 4.50
1861 g 1.50
1876 obv fr rev worn type.. .50
1876-s abt f .. 1.50 xf 4.95

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1893 Columbian xf 1.65 au .. 2.20
1893 Unc. 3.25
1920 Pilgrim unc. 3.25
1922 Grant unc. 8.95
1925 Hugenot unc 8.95
1925 Norse thick medal unc. 10.50
1925 Lexington xf 3.65 unc 4.95
1925 Stone Mt. 3.35
1926 Sesq. unc 7.50
1926 Sesqu. f 4.00
1934 Texas unc 5.50
1935 Texas Set 15.50
1935 Boone unc 5.75
1935 Conn unc 24.00
1936 Boone unc 5.50
1936 Boone (D) unc 9.75
1936 Boone (S) unc 9.75
1936 Long sland unc 5.25
1936 Oregon unc 4.95
1936 Cleveland unc 4.00
1937-D Oregon unc 5.00
1938 Oregon set 15.50
1946 BTW set 4.95
1946 BTW unc 1.60
1946 BTW (S) unc 1.95
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